## U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION III

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SUBJECT: Dorney Road ROD

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Dorney Road Site

The BTAG has reviewed the ROD for the Dorney Road Superfund site and offers the following comments.

- Identify suitable areas for wetland mitigation in the vicinity of the site.
- It is suggesed that at the same time that the wetlands delineation is performed that the functional values of the wetland be defined.
- If mitigation is required, i.e. to replace the destroyed on-site wetland, a cooperative investigation should be conducted to identify how mitigation could be carried out with the appropriate natural resource trustee.
- While the effort to locate mitigation sites is underway, an evaluation of the sedimentation pond for potential use as mitigation for the loss of wetlands should be carried out. This will depend upon the contribution of a wetland ecologist to design such a system.

If you have any questions concerning these comments, please contact Diane Wehner (215/597-3636) or Bob Davis (215/597-6488).